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-Alaska has 15,000 miles of shore

-Steamer day; State up, Oregon

-No. Two's heater is being re paired.

A first-class French funeral costs

The Yaquina is still at Captain Gray's dock.

-There are 1102 Masons in Wash ington Territory. -There are 8,561 drinking houses

in New York City. -The New Orleans wharves are

lighted by electricity. -The Rosetta went to Skipanen is

place of the Sam to-day. -It cost \$340,000,000 to run this government during 1881.

-The British bark Zoe arrived in Liverpool on the 28th ult.

-The aggregate tonnage of Puget Sound steamers is 4,850 tons.

-The Statesman denies that any cases of small pox exist in Salem.

-The blocking on which to build the new barge has been put in position.

-A series of weekly lectures or social science is being delivered in Portland.

-The weather yesterday morning was of that kind that tends to make -The County Institute which meets

to-morrow promises to be a very interesting affair.

nue, New York.

-Denver spent \$4,150,000 in improvements during 1881. How much did Astoria spend?

-Delmonico, the famous restaurant man, is dead. He made a good secre-

tary of the interior. -The Polk County Itemizer is an other paper that steals whole half col-

umn articles from this paper. -D. P. Thompson left San Francisco yesterday morning for Washing-

ington, via the Southern Pacific. -Experiments made with sugar beets in Whitman county result in a

yield of 5000 pounds to the acre. -There will be Union prayer meeting in the Young Men's rooms this evening at 7 o'clock. All cordially

invited -Three American railroad lines are heading for the City of Mexico. The one that gets there first gets the most

privileges. -The fact that "Kiefer," the name

to chide, is instanced as being among per ton less than to either Portland or the eternal fitness of things.

-The Big Bend of the Columbia contains an area of land 80x100 miles in extent, as fine for agricultural purposes as any in Washington Territory.

-Territorial papers adversely criticize Gov. Newell for pardoning one McAllister, who, it is alleged, has violated the terms of the pardon by remaining in the Territory.

-Where shall the next Republican State convention be held, is a question now being discussed in our exchanges. In the second city of the State, in Astoria, would be a good place.

-The California Rural Press denounces the "Ozone" method of fruit preserving as an unmitigated fraud. It is advertised as the "King fortune published, and would not be interestmaker" and is probably a catch-penny.

The regular annual meeting of Progressive Land and Building association will be held in Liberty hall, Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, on the 11th day of February, 1882. WM. McEWAN, Seey, Jan. 10, 1882.

Notice

All persons knowing themselves in-debted to me will please settle at the store of J. W. Gearhart or with me, by the 15th inst. Otherwise I shall place the accounts in the hands of an attorney for collection. FRED SHERMAN.

Teachers' Institute.

The exercises of the Teachers' Institute to be held in this city on the 12th and 13th inst, will consist of the following, subject to some changes if found necessary:

SIRST DAY.

Morning session-9:30 general conference, introduction of members, etc.; 10:30, organization; 11, reading, primary and other.

Afternoon session-1:30, grammar, omposition, language lessons, etc.; 2:30, recess; 2:40, geography, mapping, penmanship: 3:40, citizenship.

Evening session-7, music, anthem. essays, recitations, music, lecture by Rev. Dr. Atkinson, addresses. SECOND DAY.

Morning session -9:30, arithmetic, elementary and higher, essay; 10:30, recess; 10:40, school government.

Afternoon session - 1:30, history, 2:30, recess; 1:40, miscellaneous. Evening session-7, music, recita-

J. Powell.

tions, addresses, lecture by Supt. L.

-An exchange thinks that there is no more fraud than there used to be in the good old times; the reason we hear of more is because the news-

-The Glanpadam and Merwanjee Franjee had a close call yesterday morning; it looked as though a cellision was inevitable, but the only injury was a bruised taffrail.

-We are in receipt of a very fine map of the department of the Columbis, and hardly know whom to thank for it; though M. C. George has been so courteous in the matter of reports and public documents that we believe

-Verkoyansk, on the river Yana in Siberia, is said to be the coldest place on earth, having a mean temperature of 48.6 degrees below zers centigrade. But it stays at that, and is not half as mean a temperature as one that vibrates between 100 degrees above and 25 degrees below zero Far-

-Recently Messrs S. Barker, C. Ethridge and an oysterman from Shoalwater bay rigged up a dredging apparatas at Olynipia, and proceeding down the bay to deep water, com--Henry Villard is going to put up menced operations, and succeeded in finding some of the largest oysters yet found on the Sound.

> -A prominent Ohio Democrat recently interviewed in Washington, says that either Jere Black or Senator Thurman on an anti-monopoly ticket would sweep this country like wildfire for the Presidency in 1884, and that Tilden and Field are out of the question, being everywhere known as monopolists and tools of corporations.

> -Under the head of O. P. R. R. notes, the Albany Herald says: "Three engineering parties will commence surveying from Albany eastward within the next ten days. Sev enty miles of steel rails, 1000 tons of fish-plates, bolts, etc., and six 36-ton railroad engines are now in San Francisco, awaiting shipment to Yaquina

-We notice that several vessels are on the way to Tacoma loaded with railroad iron, besides those which are on the way to Portland loaded in the same way. Would it not be well now to charter and load a few for Astorial We understand vessels can be engaged of the new Speaker, means to scold, to lead iron for Astoria at one dollar

-Yesterday was a stormy day in Astoria; rain fell in torrents, fitful gleams of sunshine and sudden dashes of hail; wreaths of enwrapping fog and squalls that turned umbrellas inside out; one party whose clothes were drying on the line noted the fact that so hard blew the wind that though it was raining yet the clothes

-The Circuit court was indeed a Circuit court yesterday in every sense of the word; going at first to Liberty hall, the court and all the dread attendants of justice adjourned to the Baptist church, where all day long witnesses were being examined in the Robeson case. The evidence has been ing, though we understand it is intended to introduce one or two new some time ago by a snide firm and we witnesses to-day. Subposnas were out refused to publish it.

Sherman Bros. Express

Will receive orders at the store of 1. Will receive orders at the store of I. W. Case for upper Astoria or any other part of the city. Leave your orders on the slate and they will be promptly attended to.

-There will be no skating this evening on account of the hall being occupied by court. Ggo, Ross,

Left Handed. 'Tis thus that a California exchange refers to a neighbor of ours: Tillamook county is a little province all to itself, far over the western hills and tion of being a law onto themselves. have no jail, no church, no schooluse for one. Taxes are few and for between, and when they are collected it is alleged they are divided out among the office-holders with strict justice and even-handed impartiality. When a man gets too bad over there, about three-fourths of the county get together and arrest him; and if, upon trial, he is deemed worthy of conviction, he is selemnly incarcerated in the back room of somebody's woodshed, from whence he proceeds to break jail, and walks over to Salem school furniture and apparatus, essay; and asks the Governor to pardon him

How Is It?

Why is it says some one who posted, that some ladies can look so much more stylish on slim margins than others do on unlimited means? Why is it that a little trick of ribbon or lace will make some folks look as papers do detective duty and print the if they had just left the hands of the most fashionable modiste in town? It has been aid that the tendency to take on education is hereditary; that children who come down through an educated stock are far more facile in education than the children of parents who are ignorant. This is doubtless true, as a rule, but there are certainly many exceptions to the rule. So, also, in regard to style and wit in matters of dress. It may be a matter of inherent taste to some extent, but it is also a matter that is cultivatable. There is real art in dress. The little trick of ribbon that looks as if it "happened" to be there may have been a matter of much thought and study, both as regards color and adjustment. Attention to detail, both in business and attire, tells the story of success. Without it there can be no success.

-An eminent Washington lawyer is 'authority for the statement that Congress, Hop, H. F. Page, Chair-Guiteau has at least a lease of life till man of the committee, on comnext May even should be promptly be found guilty of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be hanged. A legal authority says there is a statute somewhat awkward, directing that sentence of death shall not be executed until thirty days after beginning of the next term of court succeeding that at which sentence is pronounced. The argument will be closed to-day, and it is thought the case will go to the jury.

-At a meeting of the Portland Board of Trade last Monday night was made a verbal report from the special committee appointed to examine into the matter of establishing a signal station at Caps Hancock. Mr. Dodd stated that steamship captains were unanimous in giving Cape Hancock the preference over Tillamook rock, and that Lieut. Kilbourne would recommend the former place to Gen. Hazen. Toward the close of the meeting a statement that D. P. Thompson would visit Philadelphia to find the cost of two new tugs for Columbia bar towing occasioned considerable discussion. the general verdict being that a company should be organized in Portland to conduct a towing business. The matter was referred to a committee.

Hotel Arrivals.

PARKER HOUSE. E Pollard Chinook river; B F Coffey, R C McIntosh Knappa; J F Tasker, Miss Hattie Davis Skamockwa; Miss Davis Portland; C H Carruthers Lewis River; J Walters Sea Side; J Geornell Nehalem; J W Field, Fred Krosel, Leonard Chance City.

-A few more chances yet to be taken

at fine graphoscope at the City -Max. Wagner's San Francisco tional brewery beer can't be beat.

—Call and examine the Union pump at John A. Montgomery's, cheap and of superior pattern and quality.

Attention! Attention!

All those indebted to the Central Marbet will please call and pay their accounts before the 15th of January, 1882. By so doing they will oblige and saye costs. Those that do not comply with this request, their accounts will be closed.

J. Pogens.

Signal Service. At a recent meeting of the San Francisco Horticultural Society, a communication was read from General Hazen, chief of the signal service bureau, and the following serve, first, that they have a reputas reply was transmitted: "On acand that law a very loose one. It is changes of this coast, we think a alleged-but with how much troth separate department of weather this deponent saith not -that they forecasts for this coast must be established before any special benhouse, no grog shop, no county road, chit can be derived from the signal no court-house, no graveyard, and no service department. We notice with extreme pleasure your expressed intention to establish a special branch of the department on this coast for the forecasting of the weather for the Pacific States and Territories. We think a greater number of stations are needed, especially in the northern part of this State, also in Oregon and Washington Territory, for from those parts our stormy weather comes, and heretofore the reports have been very unreliable. If we could get information twentyfour hours ahead of rain storms thousands of dollars would be saved to our raisin-growers alone. The early fall rains seriously damage the quality of this product, and if continued several days destroys it altogether, but if a few hours' notice could be given of rain the trays could be covered up. and the crop saved until the rain past. With more stations on the coast and a central office at San Francisco to distribute news to all parts of the State at the expense of interested parties, would be of great value to the fruit dryers. Weather indications for the country west of the Mississippi would be of great value to the wholesale shippers of fruit and can be bought cheap for cash to close out that branch of the business. produce from Sacramento. If the

Noble Young Man.

service on this ceast.

merce, to instruct our other repre-

There was a noble youth, says J. O. BOZORTH.... the Post, who, on being urged to BOARD OF DELEGATES. Regular meet take wine at the table of a famous statesman in Washington, had the moral courage to refuse. He was a poor young man, just beginning the struggle of life. "Not take a glass of wine!" said the great statesman, in wonderment and surprise. "Not one single glass of wine?" echoed the statesman's beautiful and fascinating wife. No," replied the youth, resolutely, gently repelling the proffered glass. What a picture of moral grandeur was that! A friendless youth refusing wine at the table of wealthy and famous statesman, 2d Asst. Foreman. even though proffered by the ALERT HOOK AND LADDER Co. No. 1 hands of a beautiful lady. "No." said the noble young man, his voice trembling a little and his cheek floshed, 'I never drink wine, little and his cheek floshed, 'I never drink wine, little and his foreman, F. W. Ferguson, 2d Asst. but there he straightened himself up, and his words grew firmer) if you have a little good old rve whisky I don't mind trying a spif-

The Shasta papers are discusing the proper spelling of the name of the town which is at pres--Mrs. Twilight and Mrs. Hisley have ent the northern terminus of the taken charge of the Pioneer Restaurant, which has been thoroughly renovated and refitted. Mrs. Hisley has charge of the cuisine. Good coffee a specialty.

ent the northern terminus of the California and Oregon railread. The Courier says it was named for the cuisine. Good coffee a specialty. ent the northern terminus of the The Courier says it was named for -For handsome holiday presents, such as tollet cases, cologne sets, perfumery cases, fine soaps, ctc., go to Conn's drug store, opposite Occident Hotel.

P. B. Reading, and the name was so spelled in the early maps, the legislature having since passed a bill legalizing. The price of subscription to The Weekly Astorian has been reduced to \$2 per annum when paid in advance. If not paid in advance the old price of

-Brace up the whole system with King of the Blood. See advertisement. -Why will you cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts 50 cts and \$1. Sold by W. E. De-

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relieve Croup, whooging cough and Bronchillis, Soid by W. E. Dement, --Hot, cold and shower baths at the Geeldent bair dressing saloon, twenty-

-Whips, energy-combs, brushes; new stock; first-class goods, cheap for each, S. Gray,

- Avoid a galloping consumption by the timely use of Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar. Pire's Tooth-

-A Nasal Injector free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarris, Remedy, Price 50 cent. Sold by W. E. Dement. -The Rev. Geo. H. Thayer, of Bour-son, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife

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- Phose writing desks at the City book store are the best in the city. They are something nice and durable, and just what most young ladies would appreciate from the giver.

-Grace Church school, Miss Hewett principal, will reopen Jan. 9th, 1882 The select nature of this school makes it deservedly popular with parents.

—A mother and son killed by King of the Blood! The mother was Dyspepsia, the son General Unhappiness. See ad-

- Mr. John Rogers of the Central Mar ket, has made arrangements to keep al the finest fresh fish, etc., in their season -P. J. Goodman, on Chenamus street, has just received the latest and most fashionable style of gents and ladies

boots, shoes, etc. -Chas, Stevens and Son have a stor

two hours ahead it would enable stands who were suffering from dyspep lower prices than at present. We -I have just received the finest assort shall request our representative in

ment of fancy goods in my line eve brought to A soria, consisting of per filmery cases, fancy seas, time, combst fine perfameries, fancy soaps, combst brushes, hand glasses, and toilet articles of all kinds—splendid presents for the holidays. Call and examine goods and sentatives to endeavor to obtain a J. W. Conn's drug store, opposite Occispecial appropriation for the signal | dent Holel, Astoria, Oregon

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MISCELLANEOUS.

School Tax Notice.

District No. 1 Claison county Oregon

Notice.

THE FIRM OF PAGE & ALLEN IS this day dissolved by mutual consent; the business hereafter will be continued by A. V. Allen. All persons indebted to said firm are hereby notified to settle their accounts without delay.

C. H. PAGE. Asteria, Oregon, Jan. 1, 1882.

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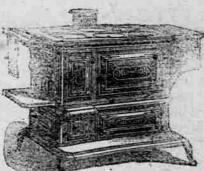
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